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11. (C) Ambassador conveyed reftel message to Prime Minister Manning in a June 1 meeting. A/DCM accompanied Ambassador. We had attempted to get time with the PM on May 31 without success. Ambassador did not share text of points, but gave Manning a copy of the Secretary's statement from the State.gov website. Manning had no substantive comment apart from asking whether sanctions might include military action. We responded that diplomatic isolation and economic sanctions were under consideration.

12. (U) Post will watch for any public statements by GOTT on this issue and report accordingly.
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